IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q76997

Makoto NAMIKAWA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/642,652 Confirmation No.: 3048 Group Art Unit: 1771

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For: CLEANING SHEETS AND METHOD OF CLEANING WITH THE SAME

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated September 12, 2007. Review and reconsideration on the merits in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

A Statement of Substance of Interview is submitted herewith.

In addition, a Notice of Appeal and a Petition for Extension of Time for three months is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, extending the time for response from December 12, 2007 to March 12, 2008.

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